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Applicant: Pilliar et al. Appl. No.: 10/617,358 Filed: July 11, 2003

Title : METHOD OF MANUFACTURE OF POROUS INORGANIC

STRUCTURES AND INFILTRATION WITH ORGANIC POLYMERS

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Examiner : Lopez, Carlos N.

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed November 19, 2007, a listing of claims originally included with a response to a non-final Office action filed September 14, 2007, is attached hereto. Each of the claims is provided with a proper status identifier.

Since the amendment was filed in response to a non-final Office action, only the corrected section, namely a complete listing of claims, is being timely submitted within one month of the mailing date of the Notice. Further, it is respectfully asserted that no fees are due at this time, but any required fees may be charged to deposit account number 04-1577.